## PORTLAOISE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT

Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise, Co. Laois.

September 10<sup>th</sup> 2021

# TO: THE CATHAOIRLEACH & EACH MEMBER OF PORTLAOISE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT

A Chara,

Iarrtar ort freastal ar Chruinniú Míosúil mhí an Mheithimh de Cheantar Bardasach Phort Laoise a bheidh ar siúl i Seomra na Comhairle, Áras an Chontae, Port Laoise (nó mar mhalairt air sin ag Foirne Microsoft) Dé Céadaoin, <u>15 Méan Fómhair</u> <u>2021 ag 11.00 i.n.</u> chun na hábhair dá dtagraítear ar an gClár Oibre faoi seo a mheas.

You are requested to attend the September Monthly Meeting of Portlaoise Municipal District to be held in the Council Chamber, Áras an Chontae, Portlaoise (or alternatively by Microsoft Teams) on <u>Wednesday</u>, 15<sup>th</sup> of September 2021 at 11.00 a.m. to consider the matters referred to on the Agenda hereunder.

#### **AGENDA**

- **1.** Confirmation of Minutes of meeting held on the 16<sup>th</sup> of June 2021 (documentation enclosed)
- **2.** Matters arising from meeting held on the 16<sup>th</sup> of June 2021
- **3.** Approval of proposal to Take in Charge Jimmy Maher Park Lane, Ballinakill Road, Abbeyleix
- **4.** Nomination of Elected Representative to the Eirgrid Laois Kilkenny Reinforcement Project Community Forum
- **5.** Notice of Motions
- **6.** Correspondence
- 7. Fix time, date & venue for next meeting.

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Simon Walton
Director of Services

#### **Notice of Motions**

#### Notice of Motion No: 124/2021 - Councillor Mary Sweeney

"That Laois County Council carry out road repair works at the junction of the Well Road and the R425 near Sheffield Cross"

#### Notice of Motion No: 125/2021 - Councillor Mary Sweeney

"That Laois County Council Library & Tidy Towns collaborate to provide book exchange boxes throughout the towns and villages in the Portlaoise MD to encourage reading"

#### Notice of Motion No: 126/2021 - Councillor Mary Sweeney

"That Laois County Council provide contactless water bottle filling stations near walking and cycling routes in the Portlaoise MD"

#### Notice of Motion No: 127/2021 - Councillor Caroline Dwane Stanley

"That Laois County Council give an update on the road safety audit that was to be carried out at the pedestrian crossing on the Mountrath Road at the Centra Garage/Bellingham Estate and install safety measures immediately"

## Notice of Motion No: 128/2021 - Councillor Caroline Dwane Stanley

"That Laois County Council give an update on when the works will start on the drainage and environmental work in Woodgrove Estate and an update on the pumping station and vacant site in Woodgrove Lawns"

## Notice of Motion No: 129/2021 - Councillor Caroline Dwane Stanley

"That Laois County Council ensure that as part of the development in Tower Hill that a boundary wall is included between the development and Millbrook Estate"

## Notice of Motion No: 130/2021 - Councillor Noel Tuohy

'That this Council congratulate both Abbeyleix and Ballinakill on their inclusion on the list of the top 20 places to live in Ireland as listed in the Irish Times"

#### Notice of Motion No: 131/2021 - Councillor Willie Aird

"That Portlaoise MD calls on Laois County Council to carry out safety measures at Keyes Cross, Ballycarnan"

#### Notice of Motion No: 132/2021 - Councillor Willie Aird

"That Portlaoise MD calls on Laois County Council to upgrade the footpath on the Mountrath Road from Rockdale to the junction at Boughlone"

#### Notice of Motion No: 133/2021 - Councillor Willie Aird

"That Portlaoise MD calls on the Director of Services, Mr. Donal Brennan & the Sports Officer, Ms. Anne Marie Maher to meet with the Members of the Portlaoise Municipal District at the Portlaoise Leisure Centre as soon as possible"

#### Notice of Motion No: 134/2021 - Councillor John Joe Fennelly

"That Laois County Council carry out a survey on the trees on the boundary of Balladine Drive, Abbeyleix"

# Notice of Motion No: 135/2021 - Councillor John Joe Fennelly

"That this Council examine the possibility of putting a ghost island on the Portlaoise Road, Abbeyleix to assist residents in the island entering their roadway"

## Notice of Motion No: 136/2021 - Councillor John Joe Fennelly

"That this Council include Knapton Road, Boley, Abbeyleix on the schedule of works for next year's Roadworks Programme and examine the possibility of removing the dangerous bend at residence at this location"

## Notice of Motion No: 137/2021 - Councillor Catherine Fitzgerald

"That this Council install dog foul bins underneath the Mutt Mitt bags or else remove altogether"

#### Notice of Motion No: 138/2021 - Councillor Catherine Fitzgerald

"That this Council give an update on the re-opening of Portlaoise Leisure Centre"

## Notice of Motion No: 139/2021 - Councillor Catherine Fitzgerald

"That this Council look at parking in Jessop Square with a view to providing more car parking spaces"

#### Notice of Motion No: 140/2021 - Councillor Thomasina Connell

"That this Council provide an update in relation to the Re-Opening of Portlaoise Leisure Centre to include a schedule of works completed to date and those which have yet to be completed"

## Notice of Motion No: 141/2021 - Councillor Thomasina Connell

"That this Council provide an update as to the installation of ramps at Bellingham Estate, Mountrath Road, Portlaoise"

### Notice of Motion No: 142/2021 - Councillor Thomasina Connell

"That this Council set out the progress made in relation to the provision of the Domestic Violence Refuge in Portlaoise"

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